

THE GAZETTE.

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 12.

SCRAPS.—A man has just invented a dozen blades, a cork-screw, a bodkin, a hair brush, and a boot-jack, besides a season ticket on railroad!

At a court-martial lately held at Norfolk, the following dialogue is said to have taken place between one of the witnesses and the court:—"Are you a Catholic?" "No, Sir." "Are you a Protestant?" "No, Sir." "What are you then?" "Captain of the fore-top."

How singular it is that every body is out of money at the same time. Who ever undertook to borrow ten dollars without finding all his acquaintances had "a little note to take up?"

Why is a blacksmith like a counterfeiter? Because he makes a living by forging.

A minister at camp meeting said: "If the lady with a blue hat, red hair, and cross-eyed, don't stop talking, she will be pointed out to the congregation!"

Why is a four quart jug like a lady's side-saddle? Because it holds a gall-on.

Who was the first poet boy? Cadmus; he carried letters from Phœnia to Greece.

Why is a woman living up two pair of stairs like a goddess? Because she is a second Flora.

Dickens, in speaking of pawn brokers' duplicates, said they are the turnpike tickets on the road to poverty.

Mike said he was going to move from the house he then occupied. Sealey asked, "What for?" Mike answered, "I don't like the vicinity." Tucker then ejaculated, "Don't like the vice-in-it-eh?" Mike thought Tucker personal.

AUCTION SALES.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Pursuant to a deed of trust from William Bushby and wife to me, dated October 18th, 1871, and recorded in book No. 1, page 543, one of the land records of Alexandria Corporation Court, I shall on **TUESDAY, May 13th, 1873, at 12 o'clock p. m.**, in front of the premises, offer for sale, by public auction, all that LOT OF GROUND, with the improvements thereon, in Alexandria, Va., on the north side of Duke street, between Fairfax and Royal streets, fronting on Duke street, and extending back 56 feet, and bounded on the west by a ten feet alley, and on the north by a four feet alley.

This property is improved by a two-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, with back building, and contains eight rooms. There is water on the premises of parties interested: \$400 in cash, and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months; the deferred payments to be secured by the purchaser's bonds, with good personal security, and a deed of trust upon the property sold.

D. L. SMOOT, Trustee.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

CLOUD'S MILL FOR SALE.

Under authority of a deed of trust to me, duly recorded in Fairfax county, in liber J, No. 4, page 70, and at the request of the party thereby secured, I will offer for sale, by auction, on **THURSDAY, the 8th day of May, 1873, at 12 o'clock p. m.**, in front of the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria, the LAND and MILL PROPERTY formerly owned and occupied by James Cloud, with all the rights and privileges thereto belonging, as fully as the same are held by said Cloud, including the land formerly owned by Funsten & Moss, commissioners, the same being improved by the "TRIADPHIA MILL," and the DWELLING, &c., formerly occupied by said Cloud, and containing about 66 acres.

Terms: One-third of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal payments at one and two years thereafter, bearing interest, payable half yearly, and secured by deed of trust upon the property, with insurance on the buildings; to the satisfaction of the undersigned.

ap 2-2nd J. K. JOHNSON, Trustee.

The above sale is postponed until SATURDAY, the 17th instant, at the same hour and place.

By Francis A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at its April term, 1873, in the suit of Wingfield, trustee, vs. Barnett et als., the subscribers, commissioners appointed by said decree, will expose for sale, at public auction, in front of the New Market Building, on Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on **SATURDAY, the 31st day of May, 1873, at 12 o'clock p. m.**, a TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND on the north side of Prince st., between Henry and Fayette, in the said city of Alexandria, in inches 15 feet 2 inches, more or less, and in depth 100 feet to a 10 feet alley, with the use of said alley.

Terms: One-fourth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in three equal payments at 6, 12 and 18 months from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with appropriate security, and the title to the property retained until they are paid.

FRANCIS A. KERBY, Comm'r. of Sale.

A "merciful man is merciful to his beast."

THE HUMANE INVENTION OF THE AGE.

McCLURE'S SELF-ADJUSTING, ANTI-FRICTION BACK-CHAIN AND TRAVELLER.

Read the following testimonials to its merits: Office Society for Prev. Cru. to Animals, New York, April 11, 1873.

I have seen, and do most unqualifiedly approve of Mr. W. B. McClure's Anti-friction Chain and Traveller, for the use of cart horses whereby the severe concussion and continual galling incident to the present mode of harnessing draft animals are effectually overcome. This invention should be speedily in general use.

HENRY BERGH, President.

Alexandria, April 9, 1873. I have been using for more than four months the Self-adjusting, Anti-friction Back Chain and Traveller, and take pleasure in testifying that they are a perfect success. The saving in wear of the saddle alone is worth more than the cost of the chain, and the saving in labor and suffering to the horse is incalculable.

JOHN LEATHERLAND, Coal Merchant.

For sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, 63 King st., Alexandria, Va.

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!

Always on hand, of my own manufacture, a large number of LIGHT AND HEAVY CARRIAGES, at reasonable prices. A number of SECOND-HAND BUGGIES AND ROCK-AWAYS ON HAND.

Repairing promptly attended to. ROBT. H. GRAHAM, 410, 412 and 414 8th st., bet. D & E, Washington, D. C.

REAL HAIR HEADQUARTERS

AT

Green's Notion House,

Best REAL HAIR and CHOICE HAIR GOODS. Largest stock in the State.

Prices from 25 to 50 per ct. under usual prices. Have your Hair or Hair Combs made up, and buy your Hair Switches, Curls, &c., where you are certain to get the best goods for the least money, and where all the goods sold or work done will be kept in order for five years from date of purchase. CHARLES W. GREEN, 76 King street.

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FOR SALE OR RENT.

STORE FOR RENT—A RARE

CHANCE—A first rate stand for a grocery, dry goods and fancy store, on Cameron street, near the Market, between Royal and Pitt streets. Rent moderate. Inquire of JAMES CHATHAM, my 8-1w

FOR RENT—The two-story BRICK HOUSE on the west side of Water street, between Gibson and Franklin. Apply at the Gazette office. ap 19-1f

FOR RENT OR SALE—The OFFICE adjoining the Gazette office. Possession given on the 1st of May. Apply to HARRISON JACOBS, next door. ap 19-1f

FOR RENT—The THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 46 south Washington street. Possession given at once. Apply to E. J. LLOYD, 134 Queen st. ap 2

BRICK DWELLING FOR RENT—The Brick Dwelling No. 42 south Washington street, near the corner of Duke. Possession given 1st of April. Apply to GREEN & WISE, Real Estate Agents. mh 19-eotf

STOREHOUSE, ON KING STREET, FOR RENT.

The large store house No. 15 King street, now occupied by Beckham, Delaney & Co., will be for rent after the 25th of February. This is thought to be one of the best stands in the city for a grocery or commission business. Apply to No. 62 King street. ROBERT L. WOOD. feb 7

APOTHECARIES.

ESTABLISHED 1792. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, ACIDS, &c., Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st., aug 2-1f Alexandria, Va.

H. H. COOK, WM. F. CREIGHTON, COOK & CREIGHTON.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS, VARNISHES AND OILS, WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY. No. 108 King street. Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country. mar 9-1f

CLARRIDGE & GRIGG, DRUGGISTS AND APOTHECARIES.

DEALERS IN Pure Drugs and Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Foreign and Domestic Perfumery, Fancy Toilet Articles, Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Pure Wines and Liqueurs, &c., Corner King and Royal streets, Alexandria, Va. Special attention given to the compounding of prescriptions. nov 13

SAMUEL H. JANNEY, MAILTON H. JANNEY, JANNEY & CO., DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS, LEWIS WHITE LEAD, Paints, Oils and Varnishes, FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY. No. 145 King street. Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to. sep 23-1f

PLASTER! PLASTER! PLASTER!

To arrive, a cargo of SOFT BLUE WINDSOR PLASTER, per schooner C. A. Jones, for sale by W. A. SMOOT, Smoot's Wharf. ap 25-2w

VERMILION CHEMICAL PAINT is prepared for immediate use, and is sold in one and five gallon cans. We have a full supply on hand, also cards with specimens of the various shades. Sold at factory prices by ap 25 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINES, both Shuttle and Elastic Stitch, with all the latest improvements, a full assortment on hand, and for sale on terms that cannot fail to please, by ap 26 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE.

\$10, \$12, \$14, \$20 or \$25 will buy the finest and best REAL HAIR SWITCH that can be found North or South at those figures at ap 25 GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE.

ENGLISH HOSIERY! ENGLISH HOSIERY!

All grades, sold by single pair or dozen, at package prices, at ap 28 GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE, 76 King street.

NAMELED CANVASS, HUBS, RIMS, SPOKES and other goods in the same line, just received and for sale at low prices by JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON, 88 King street. ap 15

NAILS! NAILS! NAILS!

500 kegs in store. Horse Shoes, Tire Iron, Steel, &c., wholesale at ap 16 JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.

FINE OLD RYE WHISKY, Imported and Domestic Rum, Gin, Brandy, fine Wines, and bottled Liquors of all kinds for sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 106 and 170 King street. ap 26

HYDRAULIC CEMENT

1000 bbls fresh ground "ROUND TOP" HYDRAULIC CEMENT. For sale by ap 5 SELIN & CO., 13 Union st.

WHITE WASH, Dusters, Sweeping, Window, Horse and other BRUSHES—a large stock just received and for sale, wholesale and retail, at 88 King street. ap 15 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

WAX FLOWER MATERIALS.

We have just received a large supply of Wax Flower Materials. ap 5 COOK & CREIGHTON.

OLIVE OIL, of best brands and latest importation received and for sale by ap 29 AVERY & DAVIDSON, 226 King st., cor. Alfred.

BROWN SUGARS, all grades, bought at the decline, and for sale very cheap by ap 2 C. W. M. RAMSAY, S. E. cor. King and St. Asaph sts.

COFFEES—Rio, LaGuayra, Java and Maracaibo Coffees, just received, for sale by ap 2 S. E. cor. King and St. Asaph sts.

FINE TEAS—A fresh supply of Green and Black Teas just received and for sale as low as the lowest. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 106 and 170 King street. ap 7

MONDAY, May 5—NEW YORK BUTTER in store and for sale by ap 5 W. F. BROOKES & BRO., 147 King street.

50 BEST FAMILY FLOUR.

BBS. CONE & WESTON'S CELEBRATED FAMILY FLOUR for sale by ap 26-1w WASHINGTON BROS.

GEORGE & JENKINS' SUGAR-CURED HAMS, all sizes, in store and for sale at 147 King street. ap 6 W. F. BROOKES & BRO.

CUCUMBER PICKLES, in any quantity, for sale at 147 King st. ap 6 W. F. BROOKES & BRO.

MAINE CARTER POTATOES for sale by ap 2 S. E. cor. King and St. Asaph sts.

HAMS—GEORGE & JENKINS' MARYLAND BRAND HAMS just received by ap 2 J. C. MILBURN.

TABLE and POCKET CUTLERY, Locks, Hinges, &c., for sale by ap 16 JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.

HALFORD'S TABLE SAUCE, the cheapest Sauce made, for sale at 147 King st. ap 1 W. F. BROOKES & BRO.

COFFEES—Old Government Java, LaGuayra and Rio Coffees just received by ap 2 C. W. M. RAMSAY, S. E. cor. King and St. Asaph sts.

GOSHEN and MICHIGAN BUTTER just received by ap 2 C. W. M. RAMSAY, S. E. cor. King and St. Asaph sts.

PRIME BUTTER just received by ap 2 S. E. cor. King and St. Asaph sts.

PICKLES—3 bbls Cucumber Pickles just received by [ap 10] J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

EVENING DRESS GOODS.

White Tartans, Pink, Green, Blue and Straw colored Tartans, White Organdies, beautiful goods, in Plain, Striped and Plaid, Bishop and Victoria Lawns; also a full assortment of Cambrics, Embroideries, Edgings and goods especially suited to the coming season, at ROBT. L. WOOD'S, No. 62 King street. my 10

PRETZELDER & BENDHEIM, No. 144 King street, Have just received a very pretty and cheap lot of PLAIN AND FANCY CASSIMERES, a nice line of SILK UMBRELLAS, PARASOLS, NEW DRESS GOODS, a nice assortment of HOSIERY, FINE LINENS and VICTORIA LAWNS, which, in conjunction with their other stock of DRY GOODS, are open for inspection. It will be advisable to examine their goods before purchasing. They offer particular bargains in MATTINGS and OIL CLOTHS. my 9

A second very large SUPPLY OF NEW GOODS. We are now able to offer GREAT BARGAINS in many kinds of choice goods. We will not enumerate, but shall take pleasure in showing our stock to our friends and the public generally. D. F. WITMER CO. my 9

HOSIERY! Hosiers have decided to close out my entire stock of Ladies', Men's and Children's Hosiery, I will from this date sell every pair at and below cost. I have a full line of regular Hosiery, and every pair must be sold by the first of June. Secure bargains by an early call. C. C. BERRY, 72 King st. my 8

CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES.

A full line of SEASONABLE GOODS. Also Linens, Tweeds and all goods for men and boys, at No. 62 King street. R. L. WOOD. my 8

PARASOLS! PARASOLS! All new Umbrellas and Alpaca Sun Shades, all the new styles, at the very lowest cash prices, at No. 62 King street. my 8 ROBT. L. WOOD.

NEW GOODS.

We call the attention of our lady patrons to the goods just received:

A line of DRESS GOODS, consisting in part of—

Alpacas; Japanese Fabrics; Japanese Silks; French Striped Silks; Black Silk; Black Silk for lining purposes; Linen for Ladies' Suitings, new shades; Persian Stripes Victoria Lawns, very new; superior French Black Grenadines; Medium and Lower do.

Some of these goods are offered for less than cost to import.

Linen Sheetings, 10-4 and 11-4 goods. Linen for Boys.

An unusually pretty assortment of Calicoes, Lawns, Cambrics and Percales.

A full line of Cottons, 4-4, 5-4, 6-4, 8-4, 10-4 and 11-4.

Lace Shawls, real Liana. Lace Sacques, real Liana. Silk Umbrellas, do.

I respectfully submit our large stock to a very close inspection. J. M. STEWART. my 3

CARPET CHAIN, all colors, and COTTON YARN, all Nos., just received by WM. N. BERKLEY, 61 King street. my 3

ANOTHER SUPPLY OF THOSE VERY CHEAP STOCKINGS.

We have found 150 boxes of the same sort. As they are the last lot we will have, our friends who have been waiting for them will please call early. [my 1] ROBT. L. WOOD.

ROBT. L. WOOD'S

NEW WHITE GOODS.

ELEGANT NEW STYLES. WHITE GOODS DEPARTMENT now fully supplied with everything desirable.

We take pleasure in calling special attention to the new Striped White Organdies; Seonded, Plain and Striped Swiss Muslins; White and Small Figured Linen Lawns; Bishop Lawns; Soft-finished Cambrics; Percales; Cambric Cottons; Brilliants; Nainsook Muslin; Rich Cambric Embroideries; Collars; Cuffs; Edgings; Laces; Corsets; Hoopsticks; Summer Balmorals; Bustles, &c., &c.

We are receiving NEW GOODS from day to day. ap 23 ROBT. L. WOOD, 62 King street.

CHEAP JAPANESE POPLINS.

Another lot of those CHEAP JAPANESE POPLINS, just received this morning. ap 15 D. F. WITMER CO.

OPENED.

Ladies' White Cambric Skirts. White Piques. Ladies' Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs. Hosiery. Cheap Table Linens and Towels. ap 15 WM. N. BERKLEY.

LADIES' FALLS, SACQUES AND POINTS.

Please call and see our stock of LACE GOODS this day received from New York. ap 15 H. B. HOOMES.

SCARFS, NECKTIES, &c., &c.

Just received a large assortment of the above goods, which will be sold at very low prices. Windsor Scarfs, all colors, full length and width of the very best quality, and a piece—a great bargain. C. C. BERRY, 72 King street. ap 12

JUST RECEIVED.

Another lot of those LADIES' and GENTS' HANDKERCHIEFS. (Very cheap.) Also a fine line of CORSETS, VEIL TISSUE and BEREGE, HOSIERY and GLOVES. WM. N. BERKLEY, No. 64 King street. ap 7

1873 SPRING 1873

NEW GOODS.

I beg to announce to the ladies of Alexandria that I am now opening a very large and attractive stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, and would call their special attention to my stock of BLACK AND WHITE LITTLE WOMEN, Little Girls, Cashmeres, Parisiennes, Tamies, Bigantines, Tamantines, Grenadines, Hernanies, Crape Grenadines, Jenipines, Collona and Baden Cloths, Alpacas, Mohair and 3-4 and 6-4 Muslins.

And in FANCY DRESS GOODS all the novelties in style and color of fabric to be found in the Northern cities. H. B. HOOMES. mh 27

NEW BOOKS! NEW BOOKS!

FRENCH'S NO. 95 KING ST. HER MAJESTY, THE QUEEN, by John Bate. 150 THE COMING RACE, by Lord Lytton. 1 50 PLAY AND PROFIT in the Garden. 1 00 PARADISE IN THE PACIFIC, a Book of Travel, Adventure and Facts in the Sandwich Islands. 25 New edition of Miss Alcott's LITTLE WOMEN. 25 LITTLE MEN and OLD FASHIONED GIRLS. 4 volumes. 4 50 NEW LIFE IN NEW LANDS, Notes of Travel, by Grace Greenwood. 2 00 THE DEAD SNIP, by the author of "Occupations of a Retired Life." 1 75 FARM BALLADS, by Will Carleton, illustrated. 2 00 POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY, second volume. 3 50 ROYAL DIADAM, the New Singing Book for Sunday Schools. 35 cts. THE QUIDDITIES OF AN ALASKAN TRIP. 3 50 NEW BOOKS DAILY. G. E. FRENCH. my 8

MESSINA ORANGES and LEMONS for sale by G. W. M. RAMSAY, S. E. cor. King and St. Asaph sts. my 10

CABINET FURNITURE.

JAMES H. DEVAUGHN.

Manufacturer and Dealer in FURNITURE, No. 130 King street, Alexandria, Va.

Looking Glasses, Hair, Cotton Top and Husk Mattresses, kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices. In order to secure prompt attention orders should be addressed to JAMES H. DEVAUGHN, No. 130 King street. my 18-1f

W. H. DEVAUGHN, Manufacturer and Dealer in FURNITURE, No. 119 King street, (North side), Alexandria, Virginia.

Respectfully calls attention to his large assortment of FURNITURE, which he is selling, quality considered, as low as can be bought in this or any other market.

PARLOR SUITS, Hair Cloth or Rops; Marble Top Centre Tables, Whatnots, Hat Racks, Lounges, Office, Dining, Rocking, Side and Children's Chairs, Breakfast and Dining Tables and Hair Top Mattresses constantly on hand. Agent for the celebrated

NE PLUS ULTRA SPRING BEDS, pronounced by those who have examined them to be the very best Spring Beds ever offered in this market.

REPAIRING promptly attended to at moderate prices. mh 18-1f

NOTICE OF COPARTNERSHIP.

I have associated with me as a manufacturer and dealer in

Cabinet Furniture,

my son, JAMES M. BRADLEY.

The business will, in future, be conducted under the name of

C. C. BRADLEY & SON.

The new firm hopes to share a portion of the public patronage, and invites all to call and examine their line and handsome assortment of

PARLOR SUITES, in Hair Cloth, Rops and Silk Brocade; Walnut and Oak Chamber Suites in every variety. We also have on hand some of the most beautiful Fancy Tiled and Portable Writing Desks, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Washstands and Chairs of many styles.

Those in need of Furniture will do well to examine our stock before purchasing, as we are prepared to sell at very low figures. J. H. SOUTHWELL, No. 144 King street, Alexandria, Virginia. my 18-1f

FINEST WATERPROOFERS IN THE SOUTH

WM. H. NUR & SON, Manufacturers of FURNITURE, 141 and 143 King street, Alexandria, Virginia.

A large and fine stock always on hand. ja 23

STEPHEN A. GREEN, JAMES E. GREEN, GREEN & BROS.

Steam Furniture Works &